

New Deadline Is Approaching For Claims To Be Submitted

WASHINGTON, DC – Today, Congressman Steny Hoyer (D-MD) reminds service members that the deadline to apply for retroactive pay is **December 8, 2010**. To learn more, visit www.defense.gov/stoploss

“Our troops make tremendous sacrifices for our country, and it is our responsibility to ensure they are properly compensated for their service. The Stop Loss Act, passed in 2008, was a critical step in ensuring that our troops are paid for the extra time they spend in service.”

In 2009, Congress passed and the President signed into law H.R. 2346, the War Supplemental Appropriations Act, which extended the deadline to December 8, 2010.

This effort is another action the Congress has taken to better fulfill our commitment to our troops and veterans.

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